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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/695,813	10/24/2000	Steve Levi	MS1-626US

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FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 12/27/2000

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$456.
 - \$216 for 12 total claims over 20.
 - \$240 for 3 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1296.

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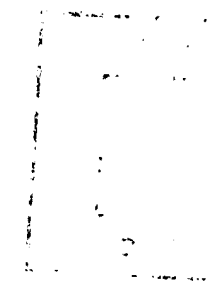
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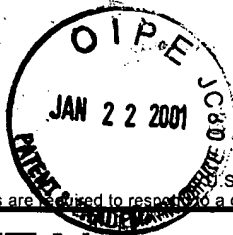
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

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Complete if Known

Application Number	09/695,813
Filing Date	10/24/2000
First Named Inventor	Levi
Examiner Name	
Group Art Unit	
Attorney Docket No.	MSI-62602

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)
1296.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number: 12-0769

Deposit Account Name: Lee & Hayes, PLLC

☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE						
Large Entity	Small Entity			Fee Description		Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)					
101 710	201 355			Utility filing fee		710
106 320	206 160			Design filing fee		
107 490	207 245			Plant filing fee		
108 710	208 355			Reissue filing fee		
114 150	214 75			Provisional filing fee		
SUBTOTAL (1)					(\$)	710

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims: 32

Independent Claims: 6

Multiple Dependent: 26

Extra Claims: 12

Fee from below: 18

Fee Paid: 216

3** = 3

Fee Paid: 240

Large Entity	Small Entity			Fee Description		Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)					
103 18	203 9			Claims in excess of 20		
102 80	202 40			Independent claims in excess of 3		
104 270	204 135			Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		
109 80	209 40			** Reissue independent claims over original patent		
110 18	210 9			** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent		
SUBTOTAL (2)					(\$)	456

*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES									
Large Entity	Small Entity					Fee Description			Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)								
105 130	205 65					Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			130
127 50	227 25					Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
139 130	139 130					Non-English specification			
147 2,520	147 2,520					For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
112 920*	112 920*					Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
113 1,840*	113 1,840*					Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
115 110	215 55					Extension for reply within first month			
116 390	216 195					Extension for reply within second month			
117 890	217 445					Extension for reply within third month			
118 1,390	218 695					Extension for reply within fourth month			
128 1,890	228 945					Extension for reply within fifth month			
119 310	219 155					Notice of Appeal			
120 310	220 155					Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
121 270	221 135					Request for oral hearing			
138 1,510	138 1,510					Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
140 110	240 55					Petition to revive - unavoidable			
141 1,240	241 620					Petition to revive - unintentional			
142 1,240	242 620					Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
143 440	243 220					Design issue fee			
144 600	244 300					Plant issue fee			
122 130	122 130					Petitions to the Commissioner			
123 50	123 50					Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
126 180	126 180					Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
581 40	581 40					Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
146 710	246 355					Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
149 710	249 355					For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
179 710	279 355					Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
169 900	169 900					Request for expedited examination of a design application			
Other fee (specify)									
SUBTOTAL (3)								(\$)	130

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

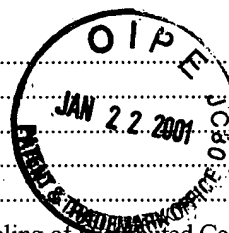
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Application Serial No. 09/695,813
Filing Date 10/24/2000
Inventorship Levi et al.
Applicant Microsoft Corporation
Attorney's Docket No. MS1-626US
Title: System and Method for Logical Modeling of Distributed Computer Systems



TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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The following enumerated items accompany this transmittal letter and are being submitted for the matter identified in the above caption.

1. Transmittal letter including Certificate of Mailing
2. Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
3. Executed Declaration
4. Fee Transmittal
5. Check in the amount of \$1296.00
6. Return Post Card

Large Entity Status ☒ Small Entity Status ☐

Applicant hereby requests an extension of time in any case such an extension is necessary. The fee should be charged to the Deposit Account indicated below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of fees or credit overpayments to Deposit Account No. 12-0769 in connection with any patent application filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16, and any processing fees, including any necessary extension fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Date: Jan. 16, 2001

By:
Lewis C. Lee
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Date: Jan 16 2001

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